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\$50 Folding Beds for	- - \$40.
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Is the standard everywhere. Every dealer that don't  
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Be sure and get the genuine

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RUN LIGHT and WEAR RIGHT.

You can't get a better Harrow—it isn't made.

Clover Seed, Timothy Seed and  
Choice Seed Oats.

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#### Wm. Burns Smedley Suicides.

Wm. B. Smedley, son of Wm. E. Smed-  
ley, an Ex-Bourbon, now of Salt Lake  
City, Utah, was found dead Sunday in his  
room in a lodging house at Detroit. Mich.  
Mr. Smedley was an actor, and his stage  
name was Robert DeLand. He committed  
suicide by turning on the gas, and had  
not been seen by his friends since Thursday.  
He was 30 years of age and a nephew of  
Messrs. A. and B. Smedley, of Hutchi-  
son, this county. He left a note on the  
table in the room saying: "My only re-  
quest is that I be buried here at the ex-  
pense of the city. I have no money. I  
have spent many hundreds of dollars  
while here as a member of various theatri-  
cal companies. Don't notify my parents.  
It is unnecessary."

On the back of this note he had written  
that weakness and illness as the result of  
an operation for appendicitis and an at-  
tack of typhoid fever had incapacitated  
him for work. "I am very well con-  
nected," probably better than any one in  
the theatrical profession. Last season I  
played a leading role in "The Chap-  
erones."

He had appeared in this city on several  
occasions with leading theatrical compan-  
ies, and was thought by all to have bright  
prospects in his chosen profession.

#### A Paris Boy to Wed.

Because the Pacific Liner, Korea, car-  
ried a cargo of mess beef for Russian sol-  
diers, she was fired upon by a Japanese  
cruiser, and beautiful Miss Gertrude  
Jackson, of St. Louis, on her way to wed  
her American sweetheart in China, be-  
came the Mikado's prisoner. The sweet-  
heart referred to is Sam T. Neely, for-  
merly of this city. Mr. Neely is located  
at Shanghai, China, where he is employed  
by the United States government in the  
capacity of a civil engineer. The couple  
have been sweethearts for years and as  
Mr. Neely could not leave his post of  
duty, his fiancée left for that country to  
join him.

#### More Lucas Suits.

State Auditor's Agent Henry Lucas Sat-  
urday filed claims in the Bourbon County  
Clerk's office for back taxes on sums ag-  
gregating \$2,500,000 against five of our  
Bourbon County banks, the First National  
and Farmers of Clintonville the only ones  
escaping. The taxes due cover a period  
of about four or five years and is on  
money and collaterals.

The same party also filed Saturday  
claims in the Fayette County Clerk's office  
for back taxes on sums over a million dol-  
lars against the Security Trust and Safety  
Vault Company and the Central Bank.

In another item in this issue you will  
see where Auditor Hager has called a halt  
on this energetic agent who has filed sim-  
ilar claims in all parts of the state. It is  
time that this business is stopped unless  
you want to run all of the capital out of  
the State.

LEAVE your order for Easter Flowers  
with Jo Varden, agent for Bell, the  
Florist.

ATTENTION, LADIES.—We are prepared  
to clean, press and make ladies tailored  
suits look as good as new. You would  
be surprised to know how nice we could  
make that old dress look. Phone 308.  
THOMAS BROS.

FOR WELL DRESSED LADIES—I have  
just received a new and swell line of  
Crusher Belts in dressed and undressed  
kid and silk. If you want to be up-to-date  
wear a Crusher. I have the line to select  
from.

MRS. CORNE WATSON BAIRD.

#### LIVE STOCK, CROP, ETC.

—A bushel of wheat, by actual count,  
has been found to contain 869,720 grains.

—Ball Bros., of Versailles, have sold to  
W. T. Johnson, of Charleston, W. Va., a  
chestnut yearling filly for \$500.

—Abner & Mussinon have purchased in  
past few days about 54,000 pounds of  
tobacco, paying from 4 to 10 cents.

—John M. Donnell, of Carlisle, has pur-  
chased of O. Edwards, of this city, the  
gray Percheron stallion, Stephen.

—E. G. Logan & Co., of Warren county,  
have sold to Baltimore parties 100 head of  
cattle, for which they received \$7,000.  
The cattle averaged 1,350 pounds.

—The Continental Tobacco Company  
has purchased 2,685,000 pounds of tobacco  
in Montgomery and Bath counties at an  
average of 8½ cents per pound.

—Thomas Dishman, of Warren county,  
sold to C. J. Wagner, of Monroe, Neb.,  
a 400-acre farm for \$27,000. Mr. Wagner  
will make a big cattle farm of it.

—Messrs. Walter and Marion Bridges,  
of Mr. Sterling, sold their fine black jack,  
Yelberton, to T. P. Adams, of Fayette, for  
\$1,000. Yelberton is one of the largest  
jacks in the State, being 16 hands and one  
inch high.

—In the month of January, 1904, sheep  
to the number of 38,898 and valued at  
\$241,139 were exported, as against 19,613  
sheep, of the value of \$125,861, exported  
during January, 1903. In the same month  
1,938 sheep, of the value of \$8,195, were  
imported from foreign countries.

—J. F. Cook & Co., Lexington, report  
the following sale of jacks the past week:  
S. C. Nunnally, Lexington, 16 hand jack,  
\$750; same, 15½ hand jack, \$500; Sam  
Akin, Greensburg, a 15½ hand 3-year-old,  
\$600; Bean Bros., Fayette, a 4-year-old,  
\$400; Bourbon parties, a 4-year-old, \$575;  
D. C. Kerr, Woodford county, a 8-year-  
old, \$300.

—D. W. Peed purchased the following  
tobacco crops in the last few days: T. A.  
Shropshire, 9,000 pounds, 2½ to 8 cents;  
D. C. Lisle, 5,000 pounds, 2 to 7 cents;  
Steve Houston, 8,000 pounds, 2½ to 8½  
cents; J. F. Connors, 2,000 pounds, 6½  
cents; Mappin & Abbott, 6,000 pounds, 2  
to 8 cents; H. T. Ingram, 8,000 pounds,  
2½ to 8½ cents; J. W. Shannon, 5,000  
pounds, 5 to 10 cents; Penn & Williams,  
24,000 pounds 4 to 9 cents.

J. S. WILSON.

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are cheaper than ours, but the lower-priced Coals are  
expensive to burn. They contain too much waste.

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**Mountain Ash Jellico  
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"Italian" Blue Gem,**

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In Dow's Old Stand.

Opp. Windsor Hotel.

No money has been spared in making my  
store the neatest store in Paris. All goods  
are strictly fresh; all new fixtures, in fact  
everything is new.

I will also carry a nice line of Fresh Beef,  
Pork and Bacon. Will buy your Eggs, But-  
ter and Chickens.

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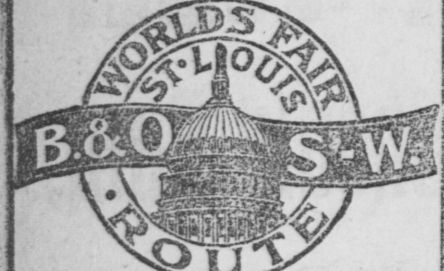
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No Additional Charge FOR SUPERB SERVICE AND QUICK TIME.

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CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO. 3100 Madison Square, PHILA., PA. Mention this paper.

## FREE RECLINING CHAIR CARS.

"The Henderson Route"—Always First. The traveling public will be pleased to learn of the latest innovation in the way of comfort in travel for its patrons which is now being offered by that most popular railroad, the "Henderson Route," which road has been rightly termed the "Kentucky's Official Route to the West and Southwest."

It has just been announced from the general office of the Louisville, Henderson &amp; St. Louis Railway that they now have in service on their night trains between Louisville and St. Louis, Free Reclining Chair Cars, which have just been received from the shops and are a revelation in the car builder's art.

The cars are strictly up-to-date, first-class "palaces of travel" on wheels, and this is only one of the many surprises which are promised the public for the "World's Fair travel by the Henderson Route."

Among other advantages offered in these highly finished cars, a few of the most important points only are mentioned: They are solidly vestibuled and are furnished with six-foot reclining chairs, which are upholstered in beautiful green plush, in addition to smoking and toilet rooms, the smoking rooms being finished throughout in leather. They are also fitted up with triple tracks, which feature will do away with the jerk, jar and strain incident to travel in the ordinary railway coach, and insures a smooth, comfortable ride. This should prove more than a popular feature in train service to the traveling public, and you can only suggest that in traveling you "get the Henderson Route" habit.

## Elite Barber Shop.

## CARL CRAWFORD,

## Proprietor.

COLD and HOT BATHS.

Only First-Class Barbers Employed.

## THE COTTON CORNER.

D. J. Sully, the Biggest Figure in It, Failed.

Within a Few Moments Cotton Fell Nearly \$13 a Bale From the Highest Figures of the Day—Many Stirring Scenes Ensued.

New York, March 19.—Daniel J. Sully, the cotton operator who has for 15 months been the biggest figure in the cotton markets of the world, and who has "billed" cotton from seven cents a pound to over 17, announced his inability to make good his engagements on the New York cotton exchange Friday. Within a few moments cotton fell nearly \$13 a bale from the highest figures of the day.

Scenes such as followed the announcement of the failure it has been the privilege of few brokers to witness before. Traders in the street have witnessed stock panics in previous years; corners have been broken and many crashes have been recorded but none has been accompanied by such frenzy and confusion.

Business had been transacted in the usual way throughout the morning session with no indication of any unusual event. Shortly after the afternoon session, however, there was a lull in the pit and about 2 o'clock the announcement of the failure was made by Superintendent King.

For a few seconds there was an ominous quiet over the floor as though the news had stunned all within hearing of the announcement. Then with one impulse a mighty shout went up from the bears, they who had been fighting Sully and the bull clique for months. Hats were thrown into the air to fall where they would, a moment later to be trampled upon by the stampede for the pit. Coats were torn by frantic brokers in their mad efforts to unload their holdings and chairs and campstools were dashed into the pit to emphasize some wild broker's offer to sell. Messengers soon were rushing in and out of the building with orders to sell or buy; telephone booths were besieged, and telegraph offices were flooded with dispatches.

Outside the cotton exchange appearances gave little indication of the pandemonium within until the messengers began to rush between the exchange and the brokers' offices. Soon the news reached the stock, produce and coffee exchanges, and traders on these markets hastened to the scene of the panic. Crowds assailed the entrance to the visitors' gallery, but a double guard was placed at the doors and admittance was refused to all but those accompanied by members.

It was estimated that something like three-quarters of a million bales of cotton were traded in during the 20 minutes of the panic that followed the announcement, and that of this upwards of half a million bales represented "forced liquidation" or the selling out of men whose margins have been nearly or quite wiped out. As the market slumped 250 points during this period the loss falling on this element amounted to something over a million dollars.

Philadelphia, March 19.—Large manufacturers and users of cotton in this city were somewhat pleased with the collapse of the cotton corner, although they maintain that the reduction in prices will have no immediate effect in reducing prices of finished products. Most of the mills report that the season's output has been made up from the high-priced materials.

## TWO DOCTORS INDICTED.

They Are Charged With Taking Personal Effects From Dead Men.

St. Louis, March 19.—The February grand jury Friday returned indictments against Drs. John B. O'Keefe and Wm. Hayes, who last Monday were summarily discharged from the corner's office, are indicted upon charges of having stolen personal effects taken from dead men, ranging from shaving mugs to gold watches, of value aggregating \$275. Both had previously been arrested and each gave bond in the sum of \$1,500.

## MRS. JAMES L. BLAIR.

She Entered Suits Against Two New York Insurance Companies.

St. Louis, March 19.—Mrs. Apolline M. Blair, widow of James L. Blair, former general counsel for the World's fair, through her attorneys Friday entered suit in the circuit court against two insurance companies in New York to secure \$35,000 insurance. The suit against one company is for \$10,000, named as the first installment of a life insurance policy of \$200,000. The other suit is for \$25,000 for an unpaid life insurance policy.

Relief For Fire Sufferers. Annapolis, Md., March 19.—The bill appropriating \$250,000 of state funds to relieve the destitution caused by the Baltimore fire, was passed Friday by the state senate. It had already passed the house of delegates.

Business Failures During the Week. New York, March 19.—Business failures in the United States for the week ending with March 17 number 103, as against 200 last week, 194 in the like week in 1903, 197 in 1902. In Canada failures for the week number 17, as against 27 last week.

An Executive Order Issued. Washington, March 19.—The president has issued an executive order applying civil service rules to the service of the war department in the Philippines and also classifying employees in that service specially commended.

## ANTI-LYNCHING CRUSADE.

Resolutions Adopted By a Camp of United Confederate Veterans.

Grenada, Miss., March 21.—An anti-lynching crusade has been inaugurated by the W. R. Barksdale Camp, United Confederate Veterans, of this city. The following significant resolutions were unanimously adopted at a largely attended meeting of the camp:

First, that we are unalterably opposed to the lynching of a human being save perhaps for the one unmentionable crime.

Second, that as confederate veterans and law abiding citizens of Mississippi and of the United States we are violently, vehemently and eternally opposed to the practice of burning a human being for any crime whatsoever.

Third, that we appeal in thundering tones to all confederates, their wives and daughters, and to that great and glorious organization, the Daughters of the Confederacy, one and all, to arise in their might and by precept and example, voice and pen, moral force and influence, help put a stop to this diabolical, barbarous, unlawful, inhuman and ungodly crime of burning human beings.

Fourth, that we heartily approve and applaud the action of Gov. Vardaman in his recent successful efforts to save a criminal from a mob bent on burning.

## IN NEW ENGLAND.

An Earthquake Caused a Tremor Throughout the Eastern Section.

Boston, March 21.—An earthquake Monday morning caused a tremor throughout the entire eastern section of New England. Beginning at St. John, N. B., the seismic vibrations traversed the state of Maine, causing some slight damage to buildings in Augusta, Bangor and Portland. The shock was felt plainly as far south as Staunton, in this state. Reports from Manchester, N. H., and Springfield, Mass., state that the vibrations were felt distinctly in those two cities.

Observers at the Harvard university astronomical observatory in Cambridge felt the shock. At Augusta, Me., lamp chimneys were broken and crockery was smashed. The vibrations lasted several seconds and in nearly every instance occurred about four minutes after 1 o'clock.

## SENATOR T. C. PLATT.

He Is to Remain the Active Leader of the Republican Party.

New York, March 21.—At a conference held Sunday afternoon between Senator Thomas C. Platt, Gov. Odell, Col. Dunn, chairman of the republican state committee, and many other prominent republicans, after a full exchange of views and statements by Senator Platt and Gov. Odell, it was unanimously agreed that Senator Platt should remain the active leader of the party.

## ARROWHEAD LAKE.

The Filling of It With Water Began At the World's Fair Grounds.

St. Louis, March 20.—The filling of Arrowhead Lake with water at the world's fair grounds Sunday marked the beginning of the completion, in its details, of the exposition. This body of water skirts the Philippine reservation on the east and north, and contains about 9,000,000 gallons of water. It is to be used for homes for the lake dwelling tribes of the Philippines, and will also afford fire protection. This and other bodies of water will be supplied from the city mains.

## DISASTROUS PRAIRIE FIRES.

All Property Within Their Paths Have Been Destroyed.

Hemingford, Neb., March 21.—Disastrous prairie fires have swept the range country. The ground being dry the fire burned the roots of the grass in the ground, destroying it for grazing for three years. One strip burned is six miles wide and 127 miles long, another more than 20 miles long, while another strip, still burning north of Niobrara river, seems to be even more extensive. Ranch sheds, barns, groves on timber claims and property along the railroad has been destroyed. Several narrow escapes from death are reported from the ranches.

## Favors Hearst For President.

Boston, March 21.—In a signed statement, copies of which were sent to the press, former Congressman George Fred Williams announces his endorsement of W. R. Hearst's candidacy for the democratic presidential nomination.

## Gave Birth to a Daughter.

London, March 21.—Lady Curzon, formerly Miss Leiter of Washington, and wife of Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, viceroys and governor general of India, gave birth to a daughter in London Sunday. Mother and child are doing well.

## Cracksmen's and Burglars' Tools.

St. Louis, March 21.—Installation has begun on the exhibit of cracksmen's and burglars' tools at the World's fair. The display has been gathered from the museums of the police departments of all the large cities of the world.

## Outbreak of Bubonic Plague.

Johannesburg, March 21.—An outbreak of the bubonic plague has occurred in the Indian coolie section. There have been 30 deaths since Thursday. It was at first supposed the outbreak was one of pneumonia.

## DISASTERS AT SEA.

Two Barks Collide and Twenty-Two Men Drowned.

The American Steamship New York Collided With the British Troop Ship Assaye—The Latter Was Badly Damaged.

Dublin, March 21.—The German bark Mona collided with the English bark Lady Cairns off Dublin bay Sunday morning. The Lady Cairns sank in a few minutes. Her crew of 22 were drowned. The Mona, which was much damaged, was assisted into Dublin harbor.

The Lady Cairns was a three-masted iron ship of 1,186 tons. She was commanded by Capt. T. Evans and was bound from Liverpool for Timaru, New Zealand. She was built in Belfast in 1869 and was owned by L. Tulloch, of Swansea. The Mona was commanded by Capt. Schwarting and was last reported at Adressan.

Southampton, March 21.—The American line steamship New York, Capt. Young, from New York, March 12, for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton, met with two mishaps Sunday, grounding off Cape La Hague, France, in the early morning, and later coming into collision in the English channel with the Peninsular and Oriental steamship Assaye, under contract to the British government and used as a troop ship, bound for Bombay with 500 troops on board.

The New York grounded while approaching Cherbourg at 2:30 o'clock Sunday morning during a fog. The sea was smooth, however, and the tide was on the flood, and within an hour and a half the vessel was floated without assistance. Her bottom was damaged and there was water in the holds, but she was able to proceed.

During the voyage up the channel a dense fog descended. When off Hurst Castle, England, the Assaye suddenly appeared and it was found impossible to avoid a collision. The New York's bow crashed into the Assaye's starboard bow, tearing a great gap in that vessel. The New York's bowsprit and figure head were carried away, and the latter was smashed into fragments.

There was great excitement on both vessels. The boats of the Assaye were lowered and the troops were mustered, but the bulkhead of the troopship saved her. Both vessels were able to enter Southampton; and the New York was docked at 6:30 for temporary repairs. Nobody was injured. It will be impossible to estimate the damage to the New York until she has been put into dry dock.

It is believed that both vessels have been somewhat seriously injured. Another troopship will replace the Assaye.

## PRESIDENT A. M. CANNON.

He Referred to His Imprisonment in a Sermon Delivered Sunday.

Salt Lake, Utah, March 21.—President Angus M. Cannon, of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion, referred in the Mormon tabernacle Sunday to his confinement in the state prison for polygamous cohabitation some years ago, described himself as being "imprisoned for the testimony of Jesus." He said:

"When I was out there on the hill" (at the penitentiary) "for polygamous cohabitation, imprisoned for the testimony of Jesus and testifying to the teachings of God, I wrote to the mothers of my children to teach them obedience to the will of God. I wrote them, 'Men can not build walls so high or prisons so deep as to shut out the spirit of God.'"

## CAR BARNS BURNED.

Five of the Employees Were Painfully Injured—Loss \$150,000.

Chicago, March 21.—Fire Sunday night destroyed the Union Traction Co.'s car barns at Division street and Western avenue, causing a loss of \$150,000. Five of the company's employees, who were fighting the flames, before the firemen arrived, were imprisoned in the burning structure by a falling roof and all were painfully burned before they could be rescued. More than 50 street cars were burned. The building was 250 feet long and 200 feet wide. This is the second of the Union Traction Co.'s barns to burn within a week, and both fires are believed to have been of incendiary origin.

## Filipinos Coming to the Fair.

Victoria, B. C., March 21.—On the steamer Shawmut, which arrived here, were native Filipinos bound for the St. Louis exposition, in charge of Dr. Hunt, former governor of the province of Northern Luzon, and Mr. Healey.

Price of Rubber Footwear Advanced. New York, March 21.—A circular has been sent out to the trade by the United States Rubber Co. announcing an advance of 7 per cent. on all classes of rubber footwear to take effect immediately.

## Duchess of Manchester Ill.

Paris, March 21.—The duchess of Manchester, who was Miss Zimmerman, of Cincinnati, is detained at Paris, being sick from a sore throat. The dowager duchess is nursing her daughter-in-law, who has almost lost her voice.

## General Chairmen's Association.

Chicago, March 21.—A general chairmen's association was formed here Sunday at a meeting of the chairmen of committees of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers from all the railroad systems of the country.



Miss Nettie Blackmore, Minneapolis, tells how any young woman may be permanently cured of monthly pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"YOUNG WOMEN:—I had frequent headaches of a severe nature, dark spots before my eyes, and at my menstrual periods I suffered untold agony. A member of the lodge advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, but I only scorned good advice and felt that my case was hopeless, but she kept at me until I bought a bottle and started taking it. I soon had the best reason in the world to change my opinion of the medicine, as each day my health improved, and finally I was entirely without pain at my menstruation periods. I am most grateful."—NETTIE BLACKMORE, 28 Central Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

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are quickly and permanently overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The above letter is only one of hundreds of thousands which prove this statement to be a fact. Menstruation is a severe strain on a woman's vitality, —if it is painful something is wrong. Don't take narcotics to deaden the pain, but remove the cause—perhaps it is caused by irregularity or womb displacements, or the development of a tumor. Whatever it is, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is guaranteed to cure it.

If there is anything about your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. She can surely help you, for no person in America can speak from a wider experience in treating female ills. She has helped hundreds of thousands of women back to health. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice is free. You are very foolish if you do not accept her kind invitation.

## Details of Another Case.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Ignorance and carelessness is the cause of most of the sufferings of women. I believe that if we properly understood the laws of health we would all be well, but if the sick women only knew the truth about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, they would be saved much suffering and would soon be cured."

"I used it for five months for a local difficulty which had troubled me for years, and for which I had spent hundreds of dollars in the vain endeavor to rectify. My life forces were being sapped, and I was daily losing my vitality."

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me completely, and I am now enjoying the best of health, and am most grateful, and only too pleased to endorse such a great remedy."—MISS JENNIE L. EDWARDS, 604 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

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## A FIERCE CONTEST.

## The Battle Between the Torpedo Boats Described.

Thirty Russians on Board the Stereguschichi Were Terribly Mutilated By a Shell From the Jap's Gun —A Sickening Sight.

St. Petersburg, March 19.—Concerning the loss of the armored cruiser Boyarin at Port Arthur, a private letter received here says that the vessel was struck by a floating mine dropped by the Japanese. Naval engineers are preparing to raise the Boyarin, though it is considered doubtful that she will be fit for fighting services, as it is feared that the tremendous concussion sustained from the explosion of the floating mine has more than likely strained the frames.

A correspondent who has just visited Port Arthur telegraphed Friday from Mukden as follows:

"Despite the various bombardments at Port Arthur the external aspect of

the has taken place, as the distance between the opposing armies is great. The bulk of the Russian forces, the dispatch adds, has not yet passed the Yalu river.

A correspondent of the Times at New Chwang cables as follows: According to information received here the reason the Vladivostok forts did not reply to the bombardment by the Japanese was because the batteries were not provided with guns. Since the bombardment parties have been working night and day to place guns in position. The Russian losses were slight because the batteries were deserted.

A correspondent of the Times with the Japanese forces, by wireless telegraph via Wei-Hai-Wei, under date of March 20, sends over a column of matter which is mostly a description of the torpedo fight between the Russians and the Japanese on March 9.

He confirms the fierceness of the contest. The vessels were so close that the Russians threw charges of explosives on to the bridge of one of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers. These, however, failed to detonate. All the vessels engaged were more or less damaged. The Japanese losses were six killed and eight wounded. That



THE EYES OF THE JAPANESE ARMY—CAVALRY SCOUTING.

the city remains unchanged, although the enemy fired an enormous number of projectiles. The marine monsters in the harbor look like enormous black hulls and the battleships and cruisers bear the marks of the fighting. The black clouds of smoke from their stacks overhang the town.

"Near the entrance of the harbor can be seen the charred wrecks of the Japanese fire ships. Aboard one of the farthest out was found the body of a Japanese officer who had shot himself.

"Six hours of firing by the heaviest guns during the last bombardment did not demolish a single building, but cost a few lives. The husband and children of the Baroness Frank, who was decapitated by fragments of shell flying in through the window, were unharmed.

"The enemy in endeavoring to stand as far as possible outside the range of the Russian batteries, rendered their own ineffective. The people are getting used to the bombardments and the Japanese squadron cruising in the offing caused little alarm. Occupations are resuming their wonted course and many stores have been reopened.

"Not a few women heroically refuse to leave Port Arthur, regardless of the tragic death of Baroness Frank. During the height of the cannonading one woman, armed with dressings for wounds, wandered the streets ready to afford aid to the wounded.

"During the engagement between the Russian and the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers the boats came into very close quarters, being within a few fathoms' length of each other. A torpedo from the Russian destroyer Vlastini tore off the stern of one of the enemy's destroyers, her captain standing on the bridge as she sank amidst wild cries."

London, March 21.—Nothing has reached here to confirm the report that a battle has taken place on the Yalu in which the Russians captured 1,800 prisoners.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg dated Sunday says there has been no change in the situation and that all is quiet on both land and sea between the Russian line from Ping Yang to the Yalu river and the Japanese line to Gensan. There have been slight skirmishes between scouts, but no battle.

## Arrived at Vladivostok.

Vladivostok, March 21.—The first detachment of the Red Cross from Russia has arrived and has been distributed among the field hospitals. More than a hundred nurses have been sent from here to Manchuria and Korea.

## Colored Barber Nominated.

Augusta, Ga., March 21.—The republicans of the Tenth congressional district met at Sparta, Hancock county, and nominated Sim Walton, a colored barber of Augusta, to oppose Congressman T. W. Hardwick, the democratic incumbent.

## Killed in the Bull Ring.

El Paso, Tex., March 21.—"Cuco," whose real name is Antonio Fernandez, a matador, was killed Sunday in the bull ring at Juarez by a bull to which he had just administered the death thrust in the presence of 3,000 people.

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He has sired Bessie Brown (5) 2:12 1/4; Rena Wise (4) 2:15; Miss Wiggins (2) 2:17 1/4; Edna Earl (5) 2:19 1/4; Black Arthur (6) 2:27 1/2; Dorcas (2) trial of 2:17 1/4; Annierene (3) 2:23 1/4; Sally Lunn (1) trial 2:24; Wigman (1) trial 2:41, last half in 1:16 1/4 to cart; Marion A (1) trial half in 1:34 1/4 to cart.

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New Spring styles that are smart and thoroughly well made. The materials are light weight, but the tailoring is such that they will hold their shape. They are correctly made in every particular.

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**The Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co.**

Has issued a statement of its business for the month of February, and the rapid growth in the number of subscribers is shown as follows:

Number of Subscribers February 1st, 1904	104,549
Number taking service during month	4,206
Number discontinued during month	2,227
Net increase for the month	1,979
Total Subscribers, February 19, 1904	106,528

## THE BOURBON NEWS.

SWIFT CHAMP, - EDITOR AND OWNER.

BOTH PHONES, - - - - - 124.

[Entered at the Paris, Ky., postoffice as Second-class Mail Matter.]

### Hager Calls a Halt.

State Auditor Hager has determined to take steps to stop the wholesale filing of suits against corporations and individuals by Auditors' Agents claiming to act for him by virtue of appointments made by former Auditor Coulter in the second year of his term for a period of four years, and which suits are being filed without the authority or the advice of the present Auditor of Public Accounts, as the law requires, according to his construction of it. In carrying out his determination Judge Hager Saturday addressed a letter to Attorney Frank A. Lucas, of Paducah, one of the four Auditor's Agents of the State at large, notifying him of his repudiation of his (Lucas') "pretended official action" in filing in a number of County Courts in Southern and Western Kentucky a multiplicity of suits against State banks seeking to have assessed against them retroactively all deposits made with them by persons for the purpose of State and county taxation, and of his intention to in each instance direct that the suits be dismissed.

Continuing, the Auditor gives the agent notice that according to his construction of the law, the term of Lucas as an Auditor's Agent has ceased and that even should this not be true he (Lucas) has no power to bring suits without authority from the State Auditor.

WALL PAPER.—I have just received one of the handsomest lines of Wall Paper ever brought to our city. Call and see for yourself. First-class hanger to put it on. GEO. W. DAVIS.

GOOD BOCK.—Now is the season for Bock Beer. When you want the very best, try a glass of the Lyon Beer. It is considered to be the best beer brewed, and if you drink it once you'll take no other. (18mar1m) ST. CHARLES BAR.

COLORADO CONFERENCE.—The Lexington Annual Conference of M. E. Church (colored) that met last week in Lexington made the following appointments for minister well-known in this city: Rev. L. M. Hagood, Presiding Elder, locating at Lexington; W. H. Evans, Anchorage; F. Hinton, Glen Kenney; D. R. Hickman, Gunn's Tabernacle; Joseph Small, New Zion; J. S. Henry, North Middletown.

TOMATOES.—I am offering 3 cans of the best tomatoes for 25 cents while they last. LOUIS SALOSHIN.

MILLINERY OPENING.—My usual Easter display will take place on April 1st. This will be no April fool for I will be there with the goods. Miss McCullough, of Florida, one of the best trimmers in the country, has been engaged to oversee the spring work and with an able corps of helpers we expect to excel our former efforts to please the ladies of Bourbon and surrounding counties in up-to-date millinery. Place your order early for you may feel assured of being pleased and also get your hat when promised. MRS. CORNE WATSON BAIRD.

NOTABLE ATTRACTION.—A notable attraction at the Lexington Opera House on to-morrow (Wednesday) night will be the "Rogers Bros. in London." An interurban car will return to Paris after the performance.

BIRTH.—Born to the wife of R. M. Walker, of Loradale precinct, Fayette county, a daughter.

Do you want a room rug? I have just received the second supply for this Spring. Come in and look at them. J. T. HINTON.

WALL PAPER.—Buy your Wall Paper of Cooley and you are sure to get the very latest styles and put on the wall in a clean and perfect manner for only one price. if

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THE BEST.—We sell nothing but the very best of liquors—Tub Fowler, Old Tarr and Chicken Cock Whiskies—no better on the market. Call at Hotel Windsor Bar.

SPECIAL RATES.—Lexington Ky and return at one fare plus 25c March 23 and 24. Return limit March 18. Account meeting of Woodmen of the World.

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FLOWERS.—C. T. Kenney is agent for the largest Florist in the South. Cut Flowers and Floral designs furnished on short notice. 18-3t

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DID GOOD WORK.—At the term of the Appellate Court just ended 322 cases were disposed of. The members of the court are fast disposing of the cases pending, and at the present rate the court will not soon get behind with its docket. The adjournment of three weeks will give the clerk ample time to get out the docket for the April term.

Joseph Jefferson.

Mr. Joseph Jefferson comes to the Lexington Opera House for one performance only, Friday Evening, April 23. He will present a double bill "Lend Me Five Shillings" and "The Cricket on the Hearth." The prices will be 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. The sale of seats will open four days in advance. All orders for seats must be accompanied by a remittance and a self-addressed envelope.

### MILLERSBURG.

Rev. H. R. Laird is in Virginia on business. Ike Chancellor, of Paris, was here Sunday to see his parents.

Miss Louisa Kerns went to Lexington Monday to accept a position.

Dr. Dailey and wife, of Paris, visited his brother, Dr. W. G. Dailey, Sunday.

Miss Isabelle Judy, of Carlisle, was the guest of Miss Belle T. Judy, Saturday.

For Rent.—A three room flat over my office. Dr. Wm. Miller.

Mrs. Robt. Caldwell returned Friday from Germantown an left her mother much better.

Sheriff E. P. Clarke and wife, of Paris, visited relatives here from Saturday to Sunday.

Mr. Clifton Lyman had two fingers on his left hand cut off Thursday, in a rolling cutting box.

Miss Rudison and Miss Freeman and Miss Field, of Paris, were guests of friends at M. F. C., Saturday.

Fleming Thompson, of Cincinnati, was here Saturday and Sunday to see his father, Robt. Thompson, who is some better.

Mr. Will McIntyre is threatened with fever. Mrs. Wm. McClintock is quite ill. Mrs. E. J. Owens, Mrs. Mary Ingles and Mr. James Hunter are no better.

Now is the time to send your curtains, counterpanes, tidies, etc., and have them laundried for spring. Clarke & Vimont.

Mr. Sanford Kendell, who moved to Covington a month ago, died there Friday from pneumonia and was buried Saturday at Rose Hill, Nicholas county. He had paid one premium on a \$1,000 policy in the Metropolitan.

Miss Anna Garth Tarr entertained the Dolly Varden club, Thursday night. The dining room and halls were decorated in honor of St. Patrick. On arrival, coffee and wafers were served, afterward a substantial lunch. The souvenirs were shamrock pins. In a progressive anagram, Miss Lura Letton won prize and Mack Grimes the booby. Next a pop corn guessing contest, J. T. Jefferson won prize and Elizabeth Allen the booby; dancing the remainder of the evening. Miss Tarr is a fine hostess and all enjoyed the evening.

LIMESTONE, Scotch and Chicken Cock whisky at Central Bar.

\$2.00 WHISKY.—Best \$2.00 whisky in Paris can be found at FRANK SALOSHIN'S.

A SUMMARY.—A complete review of the work accomplished by the recent session of the General Assembly shows that 777 bills were introduced, 257 in the Senate and 520 in the House. Only 140 bills were passed. The total amount of appropriations made was \$1,442,000, while requests for \$417,000 additional appropriations were refused.

THE PURE STUFF.—Try a bottle of Pabst Beer and you'll not want any other. It is the pure stuff and never fails to please. If you want good beer, get the best. (18mar1m) ST. CHARLES BAR.

### PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

## City Residence.

We will sell on

**SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1904,**

at 11 a. m., at Public Auction, the house and lot of the late Mrs. W. G. Talbot, on Houston Avenue, near Second street, Paris, Ky.

This is one of the most desirable homes in Paris, the house containing six rooms, besides pantries, kitchen, servant's room and porches. The lot fronts 150 feet on Houston Avenue, and extends back therefrom 300 feet.

TERMS: Liberal and made known on day of sale. Immediate possession given. T. H. & W. G. TALBOT. A. T. FORSTH, Aucr.

## BROWER'S.

### CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

Children's Furniture,

Draperies,

Leather Furniture,

Dining Room and Odd Chairs

This Week.

## C. F. BROWER & CO.

Carpets, Draperies, Wall Paper, Wood Mantels.

MAIN & BROADWAY, - LEXINGTON, KY.

## Modes

On and after Thursday, the 24 of March,

Embry & Co.,

Ladies' Hatters,

No. 141 East Main Street,

Lexington, Ky.

Forsythe's Neckwear.

Shell Combs.

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**Selling Out At Cost!**

These Prices are Money-Savers For You—And For All-New Goods, Too—We Must Have Room at Once For Our Spring Styles in Shoes.

No More Like these When They're

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Do an Exclusive Shoe Business. Come Quick Before the Bargains are all Gone.

**A Sure-Enough Bargain Sale.**

Table Linens reduced from \$1.75 to	\$1.35
Taffeta Silks reduced from \$1.50 to	\$1.18
Taffeta Silks reduced from \$1.00 to	.75c
Pau Velvets reduced from \$1.00 to	.75c
Dents' Underwear reduced from \$1.00 to	.75c
Ladies' Hose reduced from 25c to	.18c
Gents' Hose reduced from 35c to	.18c
Calicoes going at	.5c
Ginghams going at	.7c
Flannelettes reduced from 10 cents to	.8c
Flannelettes reduced from 8½ cents to	.6c
Outing Cloth reduced from 10 cents to	.8c
Outing Cloth reduced from 8½ cents to	.6c
Gents' Shirts reduced from \$1.00 to	.75c
Neckwear reduced from 25 cents to	.18½c
Neckwear reduced from 50 cents to	.38c
All Linen Towels reduced from 60 cents to	.38c
Muslin, Bleached or Unbleached, from 10c to	.8c
Muslin, Bleached or Unbleached, from 8½c to	.6c
Muslin, Bleached or Unbleached, from 5c to	.4c
Corsets reduced from \$1.50 to	\$1.18
Corsets reduced from \$1.00 to	.75c
Corsets reduced from 50 cents to	.38c
Union Suits, Oneita, reduced from \$1.00 to	.75c
Union Suits, Oneita, reduced from 50 cents to	.38c
Unbleached Pillow Casing, reduced from 12½c to	.10c
Large Stock of Dress Trimmings.	
Seam Braid reduced from 10 cents to	.7½c
Silk Braid, All Colors, reduced from 15c to	.10½c

Ladies, Don't Miss This Sale. Our stock is all new, no old goods, anything you buy will be at a lower price than you can get the same values for elsewhere.

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334 Main Street, - - - Paris, Kentucky.

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NEW COTTAGES. Will immediately be built on his lot.

ORDER your from Jo Varden, B

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## THE BOURBON NEWS.

SWIFT CHAMP, - EDITOR AND OWNER.

**NEW COTTAGES.**—Mr. H. D. Alexander will immediately begin the erection of six cottages on his lot near passenger depot.

**ORDER YOUR ROSES, carnations, etc.,** from Jo Varden, Bell's agent. april

**ADJUDGED A BANKRUPT.**—J. W. White, of Montgomery county, was adjudged a bankrupt by Referee Reuben Gudgell. His liabilities are \$37,000; assets, \$70.

**BELL'S flowers go everywhere.** Jo VARDEN, Agent.

**NEW WAREHOUSE.**—Mr. R. B. Hutchcraft informs us that in the early spring he will erect a modern four-story brick warehouse on his lot near L. & N. freight depot.

**EASTER FLOWERS.**—For Easter Flowers call on C. T. Kenney. 18-3t

**REFUSES PARDON.**—Gov. Beckham has refused to interfere with the penitentiary sentence of one year against George Miller, convicted of operating a faro game at Lexington.

**The latest thing in Silk for Shirt Waist Suits** can be found at Harry Simon's.

**REFUSED TO INDICT.**—Llewellyn Sharp, Jr., the young man who shot and killed two alleged corn thieves near Athens recently, was dismissed Saturday by the grand jury, at Lexington, which refused to indict him.

**FOR Spring tonic for delicate ladies,** a bottle of Wiedeman's Bock. Geo. T. Lyons, agent. Phone 217. (18mar4t)

**CUT FLOWERS.**—Order your Easter Flowers of C. T. Kenney. 22-3t

**SMARTER THAN SULLY.**—W. R. Welch, of Lexington, cleaned up a straight \$13,000 strike Friday, by a speculation in May cotton. Other Lexington speculators were in on the deal and each one reaped a similar harvest of wealth.

**HARRY SIMON** is showing all the new spring styles in ready to wear and trimmed hats.

**INSTRUCTIVE LECTURE.**—The lecture at the Catholic church, Thursday evening, by Rev. Father Tom Major, of Frankfort, was attended by good crowd. His subject, "What America Owes St. Patrick," was well handled and the lecture instructive and very entertaining.

**READY TO wear and trimmed hats in all the new Spring styles** can be found at Harry Simon's.

**MACCARONI.**—Three pounds of macaroni for 25 cents, at C. P. Cook & Co's.

**COSTLY ERROR.**—The people of Lewis county are worked up over the discovery that by an error in copying the survey of Beckham county lines over half of Lewis county, including the county seat, has been taken into the new county, leaving the other portion without any government. They will try to secure relief through the Court of Appeals or through an extra session of the Legislature.

**NONE BETTER.**—Wiedeman's Bock on tap at all principal saloons. (18mar4t)

**NOTICE.**—Dr. Bowen, the optician, will be at A. J. Winters & Co's, Thursday, March 31. Examination free.

**UNLUCKY CONDUCTOR.**—One of the most popular conductors on the Interurban is Mr. Geo. M. Davis, of this city, for he is careful, polite and a faithful employee. Yet he seems to have been rather unlucky, for every accident that has happened on the road Mr. Davis has been in charge of the car. In every instance they have been unavoidable. We wish him better luck in the future and will try to find him a rabbit foot.

**JUST RECEIVED.**—New and stylish ladies' suits and skirts.

**TWIN BROS.** SOMETHING NICE.—Pig tongue 10 cents, at Little Cook's. 2t

**IT WAS A LOVELY DUCK.**—A compositor on one of our contemporaries, who is an enthusiastic nirod, went out hunting the other day, and while strolling the banks of Houston he spied what he thought to be a muskrat, but when the smoke cleared away after letting both barrels go, it proved to be one of Mr. Bruce Miller's fine ducks. This "sportsman" now shies when he sees a feather bed and even "ducks" when he sees an elderdown comfort.

**HARRY SIMON** has all the latest patterns in Fancy Silks for Shirt Waist Suits.

**3 FOR 25 CENTS.**—3 Cans of tomatoes, 25 cents, at C. P. Cook & Co's, "Little Cook."

**BOURBON COUNTY BIBLE SOCIETY.**—The annual meeting of the Bourbon County Bible Society was held Sunday night at the Baptist Church in this city. Judge Russell Mann was re-elected President, and the resident pastors vice-presidents, Smith Clark, Secretary, and G. W. Davis Treasurer and Depository. The collections taken up in the various churches for the cause aggregated about \$65.

The address for this time was assigned to Rev. U. G. Foote, Methodist, of Lexington, and a better selection could not have been made. His address was splendid, both able and eloquent.

**HOME-MADE LARD.**—I will sell my celebrated Home-made Prime Leaf Lard the balance of this month and no longer at 10 cents per pound.

april H. MARGOLEN.

**JACKSON Cough Syrup** will cure that Cough.

**GOOD DAY IN POLICE COURT.**—Judge Hinton was kept busy yesterday for a little while dealing out Easter presents to the following who mistook Sunday for Easter and celebrated:

"Tony" Pfeiffer, charged with using insulting language over the telephone to Central office of the Home, was presented with a fine of \$22.50. He will appeal the case.

Geo. Tiffy, colored, disorderly conduct, got \$10.00 with trimmings.

John Forston and Jesse Claypole received \$7.50 each for plain Sunday drunk.

Chas. Brown, colored, disorderly conduct, was given the usual dose of \$7.50.

## Tapping The Sewer.

Quite a number of Main street property owners are having connections made with the sewer in front of their business houses, and we understand many more have filed applications to do the same. Those that have not had better get in the band wagon, for the first day of April will soon be here, when the new city ordinance goes into effect. It will be five dollars fine for every day you run over this date without tapping. This is an ordinance that will be enforced to the letter, and should be.

**TOBACCO CANVAS.**—Buy your tobacco canvas from Freeman & Freeman, at 2½ and 3 cents.

## Derrick Takes a Tumble.

On Saturday, the large derrick on the North end of new Court House building fell with a crash that sounded like all of that end of the house was knocked down, but fortunately no damage was done. It was lifting one of the 30,000-pound iron girders that is to be used for the roof, and had gotten it about fifteen feet from the ground, when the cast iron footing of the mast of the derrick broke. It will only cause a short delay, as another casting was ordered at once. Two of the wire cables also broke from the great weight.

**FOR RENT.**—Lower flat with water. Private entrance. if Miss R. DOEHRER.

## An Honest Coon.

The wife of Evangelist Ham, who is now holding a protracted meeting at Lexington, was in Paris, Saturday, visiting Mr. Everett Ham, a brother of her husband, who is ill with inflammatory rheumatism at his father-in-law's, Mr. E. B. January.

On passing down Main street she dropped a very handsome gold watch, going on to Mr. January's without missing it. Columbus Snell, a well-known colored man, picked the watch from the street and seeing a lady some distance away in a gray dress thought probably she had lost the watch and waited her return and handed it over. "Lum" was formerly an employee of the printing offices of our city—hence his streak of honesty.

**WIEDEMAN** has the goods. They are there with their Bock. (mar18-4t)

## When The Screws Tighten Work Begins.

Several weeks ago the City Council ordered suit filed against the Paris Water Co. for \$15,000 damages for failing to comply with contract all along the line. The suit is now pending in Circuit Court. The screws tighten and work begins. There are now about twenty men at work on the new filter which was promised by the company from the very start. The capacity of these filters is a little more than a million and a half gallons a day. It is said the work will be pushed and the filters completed by July 1st. It is to be hoped this is true, for we will then have as good water service as any city in the South. We are entitled to it—for the water rent is higher than other neighboring cities and service has never been good. We are from Missouri and will wait to see the finish before other comments.

**HEMP SEED.**—Best Cultivated Kentucky River Bottom Hemp Seed for sale. Time of payment to suit purchaser. Will contract for the new growing hemp crop. E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

## Another New Building.

Mr. J. Simms Wilson, the hustling and enterprising farming implements, vehicle and seed merchant, on Saturday, purchased of Mr. George Alexander the store room and lot, formerly occupied by Mr. Newman Mitchell, fronting on Main and running back to Pleasant street, also the lot on Pleasant street, in rear of the banking Geo. Alexander & Co., running toward Main street 118½ feet. Price, \$5,000.

Mr. Wilson will at an early day begin the erection of a three story brick building upon his purchase to conduct his large increasing business. In addition to the new Court House and the Elks' New Home, this new business house will be quite an ornament to this end of the town, which seems to be on a boom.

**AN EXPERT CUTTER.**—W. J. R. Alexander, expert cutter for L. E. Hays & Co., Cincinnati's great tailors, will have on display, at our store, April 4 and 5, an elegant line of Foreign Fabrics in Suits, Trousers and Overcoatings. PARKER & JAMES.

**\$2.00 WHISKY.**—Best \$2.00 whisky in Paris can be found at FRANK SALOSHIN'S.

## Horrible Accident.

A horrible and probably fatal accident occurred late yesterday afternoon at the G. G. White distillery, in East Paris. Newt. Bogus was engaged in working around one of the slop tubs when he lost his balance and pitched head-foremost into the scalding slop. He was horribly scalded, his flesh falling off in places. The physicians say he cannot live. Mr. Bogus is a hard working and industrious man, about 35 years old, and lives with his family, a wife and two small children, on Bank Row, adjoining the Simms warehouse.

If you buy your wall paper of me, you know the prices are right, because I buy for cash and in quantities. Neither do you have to wait a month to get your room papered, as I have the goods in stock. J. T. HINTON.

## It Died a Boring.

THE NEWS on several occasions has asked the question, "What has become of the Paris Commercial Club?" The question has never been answered up to this date, but echo answers, "it died a boring." Several years ago such a club was organized in this city, a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer were elected, and a nice little sum was paid in as membership fees. Several very enthusiastic meetings were held and it looked as if Paris was going to do great things. But all of a sudden the club seemed to get hold of an overdose of dope and passed peacefully and quietly out of existence.

Every city in Kentucky the size of Paris has an organization of this kind, and it is a daily occurrence that we read in our exchanges of committees being appointed to push some enterprise to the front for their respective cities. Wake up and shake the moss off your back, and with our natural advantages we can have the liveliest and busiest town in Kentucky.

## PERSONAL MENTION

—Mrs. Jos. A. Wilson is very ill.

—Carl Crawford is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

—John Coughlin is at the point of death with consumption.

—Mrs. Walker Muir, of Clintonville neighborhood, is quite ill.

—Mrs. E. H. Binzel, of this city, is visiting friends at Maysville.

—Miss Graddy, of Woodford, is the guest of Mrs. Charlton Alexander, in the county.

—Henry Schwartz, of Atlanta, Ga., is here visiting his grandfather, Jake Schwartz.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hinton, Sr., arrived Saturday from several weeks' stay at Hot Springs.

—Green R. Keller, of the Carlisle Mercury, was in the city yesterday, enroute to Richmond.

—Mrs. Ragsdale, of Hamilton College, Lexington, has been the guest of Mrs. James McClure.

—Lynne Hodges, superintendent of the Paris broom factory, is recuperating his health at Frankfort.

—Mrs. Mattie Hutchcraft and Miss Mary Varden have returned home from short stay in Lexington.

—Everett Ham, son-in-law of E. B. January, who has been ill with rheumatism does not improve.

—The Progressive Culture Club will meet on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, with Miss Clara Bacon.

—Mrs. J. M. Wood and son, Wallace, of Winchester, returned home Sunday, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Mary Stivers.

—Elders Carey Morgan and J. S. Sweeney left yesterday for Chicago to attend a National meeting of the Christian church.

—Mrs. Corne Watson Baird left yesterday for Carlisle to be at the bedside of her nephew, Harry Lewis James, who is quite ill.

—Miss Nellie Fithian, accompanied by little Miss Elizabeth Crutcher, spent from Saturday till Monday with Mrs. Gaither Smith, at Carlisle.

—Council Wilson, formerly of this city, now travelling for a St. Louis shoe house, was in the city yesterday shaking hands with his old friends.

—The Daughters of the Confederacy meet with Mrs. J. T. Vansant, Saturday, March 28, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Members are cordially invited to be present.

—Yutaki Minakichi, the Japanese student who married Miss Ollie Buckner, of this county, is reported improving from serious illness at New Haven, where he is attending Yale College.

—Miss Lucy Lowry arrived here yesterday from the Jewish Hospital, Cincinnati, where she has been preparing herself for trained nurse. She is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Alfred Wornall.

—Judge N. H. McNew, of Carlisle Democrat, was in the city yesterday on business. The Judge is a candidate for re-election for County Judge of Nicholas, the primary being set for latter part of next month. The Judge is a true blue Democrat and we wish him success.

—At the elaborate St. Patrick's banquet, at Lexington, Thursday night, in the absence of Gov. Beckham, the Hon. E. M. Dickson, of this city, was called on to take his place and made an address which gave no evidence of the impromptu, and ranked with the best of the occasion, says the Lexington Herald.

THIS is the weather for Vinol. VARDEN, Agent.

**FOR RENT.**—Two private flats. Private entrance. Water works and modern conveniences. MRS. DAN ROCHE.

## Knights of Pythias Banquet.

As we go to press the Knights of Pythias are giving a banquet in honor of Grand Chancellor J. G. Covington, of Bowling Green, and Grand Prelate John W. Center, of Paducah.

Work was done in the first, second and third degrees. The occasion is the District Meeting. The local K. of P.'s have been very active lately, swelling their ranks by the addition of many valuable and worthy recruits. Pythians in fact all over the State are very active at this time preparing for the entertainment of the Supreme Lodge at Louisville, in June, when 40,000 uniform members expect to be present.

**LAUNDRY AGENT.**—I have secured the agency of the Winchester Power Laundry. This laundry does superior work. Work called for and delivered. I would be glad for my friends and customers to remember me when in need of first-class laundry. First shipment will be made to-day. J. E. CRAVEN.

No house in Central Kentucky can show you a better line of mattresses at more reasonable prices than J. T. HINTON.

## Elks' Bazaar and Band Concert.

The Elks' Band will delight those who attend the Bazaar Wednesday and Thursday nights. They have made wonderful progress lately and the program will be all new and popular music.

The refreshment department will be in charge of Mrs. E. M. Dickson, assisted by the following young ladies: Misses Martha Clay, Helen Frank, Kate Alexander, Nancy Clay, Callie Thomas, Effie Paton, Lizzette Dickson, Gertrude Renick, Lizzie Mannen Turney and Mildred McMillan.

A few of the articles offered at the auction will be on exhibition to-day and to-morrow at 320 Main street, opposite the Court House. This will be your opportunity to get anything you want and get it at your own price. There will be no fake sales. Everything will be offered and sold for what it is. Old country hams, baby buggies, cut glass, beef steaks, vases, fish, toilet articles, chickens, bath tubs, dry goods, eggs, and a thousand other things too numerous to mention. The handsome run-about, donated by R. J. Neely, and the beautiful trap, donated by J. Simms Wilson, are fare samples of the cleverness of these two popular and enterprising merchants.

Don't forget the dates, March 23 and 24.

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Dainty and gorgeous Silk Coats in Eton, Blouse and Loose Back effects. Corset-fitting Covert Jackets in all lengths and at pleasing prices.

## Dress Goods.

All the latest Colorings and Newest Weaves in Imported and Domestic Dress Goods. The finer grades come only in Dress Patterns—no two alike.

## Silk for Shirt Waist Suits

Are destined to be more popular than ever before. We have an extraordinary strong line of fancy Silk, at

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All the newest things in Plain Silks, Crepe de Chines, Wash Silk, Pongees and a full line of colors in Taffetas.

## Ties and Belts.

A full line of Belts, Embroidered Turn-Overs and Stocks.

## Dress Trimmings.

We have paid special attention to this department and can show you a stock of Trimmings that will meet with your approval.

## FRANK &amp; CO., Paris, Kentucky.

## CUPID'S ARROW.

The following invitation has been received by friends in this city: Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Loden Lockwood request the honour of Your presence at the marriage of their daughter Ned Masters to

Mr. Oscar Lee Mitchell on the evening of Tuesday the fifth day of April at nine o'clock First Methodist Church Sherman Heights, Tennessee.

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THE best wall paper will look cheap if it is not put on your wall properly. The cheapest will look better by being hung right. I employ only the best interior decorators. "Nuff 'ced. J. T. HINTON.

## DEATHS.

—Mrs. Amanda Ginbey died at the residence of her son-in-law, Elder Mark Collis, at Lexington, Friday night, at the age of 81.

—Mrs. Susan I. Walton, mother of Judge Mat Walton, died at her home in Lexington, Friday. She was aged 75 years.

—Carlisle Shropshire, aged about 21, son of Mr. James Shroyshire, of near Jacksonville, died on Thursday. Burial at Jacksonville cemetery Saturday.

—Rev. B. F. Ferris, aged 90 years, died at his home in Sunman, Ind., Sunday. He is survived by his wife, Mr. Ferris has for many years been a prominent minister and scholar. He was a cousin of Judge Ferris, a noted jurist of Cincinnati. Mrs. J. W. Cottingham, of this city, a niece of the deceased left yesterday to attend the funeral.

EGGS FOR SALE.—Single Comb Brown Leghorns and Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs for sale. Address MRS. JAMES THOMPSON, Glenkenney, Ky.

## Better Late Than Never.

The city hands have been at work for several days tearing up Duncan avenue, and in a short time you will see a smooth and substantial street made with the new street machinery recently purchased by the Council. Our streets have been in a terrible condition ever since the sewer was put in, and it looked as if they would continue in that condition, but the city "dads" have at last started the work and promise to give Paris the best and most approved acadimized streets. "Better late" than never, if you keep the steam up and finish the job.

**TUCKER'S** NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE YOUR SELECTION — IN — DRESS GOODS — AND — TRIMMINGS. W. ED. TUCKER IS SHOWING A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT — OF THE — Very Newest and Most Up-To-Date Fabrics EVER SHOWN IN PARIS. W. ED. TUCKER, The G. Tucker Stand. 529-531 MAIN STREET. 'PHONE 297



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Expert in the country says: "Salzer's  
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Co., La Crosse, Wis., and receive lots of  
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Clover, Giant Mammoth Clover, Alsike,  
Timothy and thousands of other Fodder  
Plants, Grasses, Wheat, Speltz, Barleys,  
etc. [K. L.]

"These deceitful women are so ridicu-  
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## Love's Awakening

By  
ALBERT J. KLINCK

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THE two had long sat silent, the  
husband holding a folded news-  
paper, the wife toying with a costly  
fan. The light from the single lamp  
hardly penetrated to the corners of  
the large room, and the fire in the  
grate had burned so low that it was  
all but out.

"Yes," the wife said, "it is time a  
change took place. We cannot agree.  
There is no comfort for either of us  
here."

Constance Harcourt rose from her  
seat, cast the fan carelessly upon the  
table, took up a book that was lying  
there, and left the room.

Arthur Harcourt did not move until  
he heard footsteps in the room above;  
then he roused himself and thought  
over what his wife had said. His  
brow was furrowed at first, his breast  
heaved. Then he laughed. It really  
was such a huge joke. Constance go-  
ing to leave him! Constance going  
to—He laughed again. But his  
levity was suddenly cut short, for he  
heard a swish of skirts in the hall-  
way, and a few hurried words spoken  
in an undertone. A moment later  
Chalmers, the butler, came into the  
room, placed upon the table a tray  
holding a bottle and a single glass,  
and was about to withdraw when Har-  
court asked:

"To whom were you just speak-  
ing?"

"Mrs. Harcourt, sir," he replied.

"And what was the conversation about?"

"She asked me would I please carry  
some parcels for her," said Chalmers.

"Is she dressed for the street?"

"Yes, sir."

"Tell Mrs. Harcourt I desire to see  
her at once."

"Yes, sir," said Chalmers, leaving  
the room.

Arthur Harcourt was walking up  
and down when his wife entered. She  
came in noiselessly, and he was not  
aware of her presence until he heard  
her "Well?" in a high, clear voice.

"You are carrying this farce too  
far, Constance," he began.

"You forget," she said. "We have  
already gone beyond the bounds of  
farce. We have entered the realm of  
drama."

"Be careful that the end of it will  
not be tragedy," he said coldly. "Where  
are you going?"

"And if I refuse to answer your  
question?"

"Where are you going?" he asked  
again.

Constance said nothing.

"Are you going to your father?"

"Perhaps, and perhaps not."

"Say yes or no," Harcourt demand-  
ed.

"I shall do neither."

Arthur Harcourt stood still. For  
one awful moment his eyes were ferre-  
ly upon her. Then he stretched forth  
his hands to clutch at her white throat,  
but she quickly withdrew, closing the  
door behind her and locking it from  
the outside. Then she motioned to  
Chalmers, and led the way to an un-  
used wing of the large house. Here she  
removed her gloves, hat and wraps,  
and turning up the lamp, addressed  
the bewildered butler:

"You are to tell no one of my pres-  
ence here. When the opportunity  
presents itself bring my meals to me.  
In case cook questions you, tell her  
to mind what I have told her. She'll  
understand. Should my husband ask  
where you went with me, tell him I  
entered a cab at the corner, and dis-  
missed you. You are positively not to  
tell him I am here. Do you under-  
stand, Chalmers?"

"Yes, Mrs. Harcourt, I understand,"  
he replied.

For the next two or three days Ar-  
thur Harcourt was in a daze. He  
shunned his friends, acted queerly  
when at his business, and when even-  
ing came sat alone in the great room  
that had been the scene of his last in-  
terview with his wife. He could not  
read, he could not sleep. The mem-  
ory of that evening clung to him like a leech.  
There were times when Chalmers felt  
extremely sorry for his master, espe-  
cially when he found him sitting alone  
in the evening. And it was because  
he felt this way that he one night ad-  
mitted Sam Truxton into Harcourt's  
presence. Chalmers had strict orders  
to state that his master was at home  
to no one. On this occasion, however,  
he saw fit to disobey, reasoning that  
a quiet little chat with a friend would  
be of great benefit to his master.

Upon entering the room Truxton  
started at sight of the dejected figure  
in the large armchair. Harcourt looked  
bad enough in the daytime, but at  
night, in the yellow glow of the lamp,  
he looked positively ghastly.

"This I'll never do, Arthur," Trux-  
ton began. "And I'm going to be  
frank with you. This story about your  
wife's being away is all bosh. She's  
here in the very city. She's—"

"Good God, Truxton," cried Har-  
court, "where is she?"

"Then you don't know?"

"No."

"I suspected that from the first,"  
said Truxton. "I knew it was that  
that worried you. And as a friend I  
feel it my duty to tell you what I  
heard last evening."

"What did you hear?" broke in Har-  
court.

"That the veiled dancer at the Al-  
cazar is Mrs. Harcourt," replied Trux-  
ton.

"The veiled—the Alcazar?" Then  
Harcourt put his hands to his tem-  
ples. "She used to be a good dancer,"

he went on, as if to himself. "Yes,  
but the Alcazar—that of all places!"

"Come, Truxton," he said, "we must  
go to the Alcazar at once. I must get  
her out of that place as soon as pos-  
sible. Come, Truxton, come."

In a short time the two were seated  
in a box at the theatre.

When the great act finally came Har-  
court leaned far out on the box rail-  
ing, awaiting the dancer's appear-  
ance, which was heralded with a  
dreamy waltz by the orchestra and  
the sputtering of the calcium. Then  
a figure leaped lightly into the sil-  
very patch of radiance. It was clothed  
in a spangled costume, long and of  
ample folds, while covering the whole  
there fell from the crown of the head  
yard upon yard of the thinnest illu-  
sion.

Now the swaying figure was like  
burning gold, now like shining silver.  
At the next moment it looked as if  
bathed in blood; then changed to fiery  
red. Next followed such a rapid suc-  
cession of colors as seemed beyond  
man's ingenuity to produce. And  
finally total darkness prevailed. Dis-  
tant thunder began to rumble, with  
faint flashes of lightning. Louder  
and louder it grew, brighter and  
brighter became the lightning, each  
time bringing into view the undulat-  
ing figure of the dancer. Then came  
a blinding flash, followed by a deafen-  
ing roar. The bespangled figure fell  
to the floor, writhing in apparent  
agony. A few ghastly contortions,  
the uplifting of a snowy arm and the  
dancer was over.

Harcourt sat through it all, en-  
tranced. He seemed to have forgot-  
ten everything save the mystic, gyrat-  
ing figure. The evolution from one  
stage to another of the dance en-  
thrilled him. Even when it was all  
over he remained sitting, his eyes star-  
ing at the stage curtain. But Trux-  
ton finally roused him, and once out  
from the street, Harcourt turned to his  
friend and said:

"I love, it was wonderful!"

They walked on. Truxton wondered  
at the other's silence, but said nothing.  
When they reached Harcourt's  
home Truxton noticed his friend turn  
suddenly round, and seizing him by  
the arm, cried out:

"My God, Truxton, I must go back!  
It was my wife. I had forgotten."

Truxton expostulated with him—  
tried to lead him up the steps into his  
home; but Harcourt was determined  
to go back to the theatre, and Trux-  
ton, despairing of changing his mind,  
at last consented, and together they  
retraced their steps to the place of  
amusement. "To think that in the  
wonder of it all I should forget she  
was my wife!" Harcourt repeated  
again and again.

The dancer had left when they  
reached the theatre. The manager was  
standing in the lobby, and Harcourt  
opened up a conversation with him.  
He was a gruff man, and in a few  
words told that the dancer would re-  
ceive no one, nor would she conde-  
scend to accept written matter other  
than that relating to her vaudeville  
engagements.

After this Harcourt tried his best  
to secure an interview with the dancer.  
He went to the theatre night after  
night, waiting at the stage entrance  
to see her come out.

One evening he came home, and tak-  
ing a revolver from his pocket, laid  
it upon the table before him.

"You'll dance for the last time to-  
night, Nyganza," he said half aloud.  
"Your agony will not be feigned. The  
lightning will strike in earnest to-  
night."

He put the weapon into his pocket,  
donned his hat and coat, and went out  
into the street.

As the door closed after him Chal-  
mers, the butler, rushed up the stairs  
and along the hall to the rooms which  
Mrs. Harcourt had chosen to occupy.  
He rapped at the door. It was cau-  
tiously opened. A few moments' breathless conversation followed. Then  
Mrs. Harcourt cried out:

"Order the carriage, Chalmers, quick.  
Tell Marie to get ready with all speed.  
I must reach the Alcazar before—"

The door closed and Chalmers bound-  
ed through the passage.

Mrs. Harcourt succeeded in getting  
a box directly back of the one her  
husband occupied. There was but a  
thin silky curtain between them.

When the glittering figure appeared  
Mrs. Harcourt moved still closer to her  
husband, her eyes wild, her breath  
coming quickly. Her mind was cen-  
tered upon reaching over and touch-  
ing him—to speak a word that would  
tell him she was not there upon the  
stage, but in the box behind him,  
ready to forgive and forget. But she  
could not. The very knowledge of  
the impending tragedy turned her into  
a thing of stone.

The vivid flashes of mock lightning  
now began to light up the stage. The  
thunder was gradually becoming loud-  
er. The figure on the stage was twist-  
ing, swaying, gyrating.

The final great flash was about to  
illumine the stage. In the short inter-  
val of darkness Harcourt raised his  
revolver into place, pointing it at the  
spot where he knew the dancer to be.  
"Arthur!"

The revolver fell from his grasp.  
He turned round, his face deathly, his  
eyes opened to their widest.

"Constance!" he cried softly. "Con-  
stance!"

When they reached the rear of the  
theater both looked back at the stage.  
In the dazzling light they saw a writh-  
ing figure, the uplifting of a snowy  
arm, then dense gloom.

Once more in the costly lighted  
drawing room Arthur Harcourt sat  
down and drew his wife to him.

"Constance," he said, "I did not  
know how dear you were to me until  
you had gone. Oh, how miserable I  
have been! I'll be different now, Con-  
stance. Forgive me."

"I forgive you, Arthur," she whis-  
pered.

#### CONGRESSIONAL CHIT-CHAT.

John Allen, of Mississippi, says that in  
all the 16 years he was a member of con-  
gress he never knew a man to be troubled  
with conscientious scruples or prevented  
by constitutional limitations from vot-  
ing for an appropriation of any kind  
if it was for the benefit of his district or  
community.

Representative Cooper, of Wisconsin,  
has been sending very fine grass seed  
to some of his constituents for a couple  
of years. Last week he received this  
letter: "Dear Mr. Cooper: I want to  
thank you very much for the seed you  
have been sending me. Please do not  
send any more, as our canary died ten  
days ago. The bird did not seem to  
thrive on the seed you have been send-  
ing."

John Sharp Williams, the Mississippi  
wit, tells of a southern friend whose col-  
ored valet fell in love with a pair of loud-  
checked trousers which his master  
owned. By way of hastening the day  
when they should be turned over to him,  
he threw some grease on them. Then he  
reported that he was unable to remove  
the spots. "Have you tried everything,  
Sam?" said his master. "Yes, sah."  
"Have you tried ammonia?" "No, sah,"  
replied Sam, insinuatingly. "I ain't tried  
dem on me, but I'm sho' them pants' fit  
me good."

Representative Maddox, of Georgia,  
who is soon to retire from congress, has  
received this letter from a constituent:  
"Dear Mister Kongressman: Sum time  
ago I writ you asking if their were anny  
thing the guvment could do to make a  
fightin wife behave herself. I aint  
heard from you and things is no better.  
Will you please let me know how I can  
get one of them big pizen snakes from  
Afriky. I have always voted for you  
and this is mity little to ask of you,  
specially when a mans wife is always a  
peekin on him."

Senator McEnery is afflicted with a  
certain degree of deafness. He can hear  
less at times than at others, it is said.  
seek to draw information from him that  
he is unwilling to give he is particularly  
deaf of hearing. It was during one of his  
dead periods that he emerged from a re-  
cent executive session and was accosted  
by a correspondent. "Well, senator,  
anything doing on the inside?" asked the  
newspaper man. "Yes, the weather is  
pretty bad outside," answered the sen-  
ator. "It's pretty hard on us old peo-  
ple." And he bowed pleasantly and  
passed on, leaving the newspaper man  
wondering.

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world's fair in a special collection.

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coveries of this metal, so rare in Ameri-  
ca, were made recently near Salmon  
City, Idaho.

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tory in the California space in the agri-  
cultural building at the world's fair. The  
process of extracting the oil will be  
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CALVES—Extra	5 00 @ 5 75
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Mixed packers	5 40 @ 5 65
SHEEP—Extra	4 35 @ 4 45
LAMBS—Spring	12 1/2 @ 12 1/2
FLOUR—Spring pat. 5 30	5 65 @ 5 65
WHEAT—No. 2 red. 1 03	1 03 1/2 @ 1 03 1/2
No. 3 winter	97 @ 97
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	47 1/2 @ 47 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	42 1/2 @ 42 1/2
RYE—No. 2	77 @ 77
HAY—Ch. timothy	13 50 @ 13 75
PORK—Clear family.	15 70 @ 15 70
LARD—Steam	6 52 1/2 @ 6 52 1/2
BUTTER—Ch. dairy.	12 @ 12
Choice creamery	26 1/2 @ 26 1/2
APPLES—Choice	3 00 @ 3 50
POTATOES—Per bbl	3 00 @ 3 10
TOBACCO—New	5 05 @ 12 50
Old	4 40 @ 14 50

Chicago.	
FLOUR—Winter pat. 4 90	5 00 @ 5 00
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	91 1/2 @ 96 1/2
No. 3 spring	85 @ 97
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	51 1/2 @ 51 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	39 1/2 @ 39 1/2
RYE—No. 2	70 @ 71
PORK—Mess	13 25 @ 13 37 1/2
LARD—Steam	6 80 @ 6 82 1/2

New York.	
FLOUR—Win. strk.	4 90 @ 5 15
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 02 @ 1 05
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	45 1/2 @ 55 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	47 1/2 @ 47 1/2
RYE—Western	82 @ 82
PORK—Family	15 50 @ 15 50
LARD—Steam	7 30 @ 7 30

Baltimore.	
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 01 @ 1 02
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	51 1/2 @ 51 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	43 @ 43
CATTLE—Steers	4 90 @ 5 10
HOGS—Western	6 10 @ 6 10

Louisville.	
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 02 @ 1 02
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	52 @ 52
OATS—No. 2 mixed.	44 1/2 @ 44 1/2
PORK—Mess	14 50 @ 14 50
LARD—Steam	7 25 @ 7 25

Indi.apolis.	
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	1 00 @ 1 00
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	44 1/2 @ 44 1/2
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I can serve you with Ice Cream Soda Water and all kinds of cold drinks.

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Will be glad to furnish orders for frozen goods to families, receptions, etc.

Yours truly,  
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## Millinery Opening.

Thursday, March 24,

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All goods 50c on the dollar cheaper than ever before.

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Novel Method of Curing Catarrh. Sold On Approval by Clarke & Co.

The popularity and remarkable sale of Hyomei have broken all records. In nearly every city and town in the country, this guaranteed cure for catarrh has given most astonishing results.

The leading druggists are so enthusiastic over the remarkable percentage of cure following the use of Hyomei, that with hardly an exception, they advertise to their customers that Hyomei will be sold with the understanding that it costs nothing unless it cures.

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The complete outfit costs but \$1, and includes an inhaler, medicine dropper and sufficient Hyomei for several weeks' treatment.

You take no risk in buying Hyomei. Clarke & Co. positively guarantee to refund your money unless it cures. 8

**GOOD STUFF.**—Pabst Beer now on sale. Nothing half so good. Get the best always and take no other. Pabst Beer has stood test for years. It is pure and wholesome. (18mar1m) ST. CHARLES BAR.

### World's Fair Visitor's Guide.

The visitor's Guide is a magazine of official World's Fair news and information, with a calendar of events for each day. It is profusely illustrated, tells how best to see the exposition and contains much other highly valuable information for prospective visitors. It also gives a full list of reputable rooming houses and hotels, with rates; and contains a complete city directory. Price 25 cents, silver. Order to-day as this ad will appear but one. The Visitor's Guide Pub. Co., 4420 Greer Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 1t

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### Representative A. S. Thompson.

The Kentucky Legislature closed its session on last Tuesday with many good laws enacted. The Courier Journal takes occasion to recall the work of the Louisville members, and this reminds us that Bourbon's Representative is entitled to an expression of gratitude from the Democrats not only of Bourbon, but of other counties. Mr. Thompson was the author of the bill changing the Appellate Districts, so as to make six out of seven districts Democratic, whereas, before this change, two districts were certainly Republican, and in Presidential years four were possibly Republican. When there are Republicans on the Appellate Bench, all Democratic measures are open to obstruction and defeat.

In all governments by the people, the majority should rule. This is a Democratic State, Democrats being in the majority. The Democrats, therefore, have a right to rule it. A Republican Appellate Bench in a Democratic state is an anomaly not to be endured. Mr. Thompson was persistent in his efforts and pushed the bill to a successful issue. With like zeal he aided in passing the bill against the co-education of the white and colored races at Berea. In addition he aided in the passage of a new and more stringent and far reaching law on the subject of vagrancy and idleness on the part of that class who ought to labor for a living, but who refuse to do so, and lounge about and subsist by secret depredations on the working element of the community.

Mr. Thompson also introduced in the interest of our farmers a bill to prevent the adulteration of Bluegrass seeds and other seeds. He was a member of the Committee on Rules for the House, and also a member of five or six other important committees. Bourbon's Representative has therefore taken a prominent, able and effective part in the last legislative proceedings, and discharged his duties with honor to himself, with fidelity to his party and with credit to the county which sent him.

**GET THE BEST.**—If you want a good bottle of Beer, that is pure and wholesome, try a bottle of the Pabst Beer. It is strictly fine and never fails to reach the spot. (18mar1m) ST. CHARLES BAR.

**SALT.**—A fresh car load of Hartford City Salt just received. STUART & WOODFORD, Opposite L. & N. freight depot.

### New Store Opens.

I respectfully announce that I have opened a new store in the Hinton Building, on Main street, two doors from the Odd Fellows' Hall, and ask a share of your trade. I have a select line of

**Cigars, Candies, Cakes, Fancy and Staple Groceries.**

I also have on sale

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Orders will receive prompt careful attention. My business conducted on a cash basis.

**Bruce Holliday.**

## Farm Fence!

We have the Best Woven Wire Fence on the Market. Every Rod Guaranteed. Call and see it and be convinced.

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## Cultivated Hems Seed, Clover Seed and

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## GRAND OPENING, APRIL 4.



D. D. and N. D. CONNORS have purchased the interest of Mr. Sterling in the business of FORDHAM HOTEL, and will take charge of the house by having a grand opening on April court day, the 4th. The genial Dan behind the counter in the office and Mrs. Connor in charge of the dining room, this hostelry will be the best in Kentucky. Both are experienced in the hotel business, and prepare to run a first-class place in every respect.

## New Store!

I will open up a new store in the Dow Stand, adjoining Dow, Hayden Wholesale Grocery Company, Monday, March 7th, (Court Day.) Will sell at cost the first week. "Honest Weight" will be my motto. Your patronage solicited. Goods delivered. 4mlm-pd

SILAS RICHIE.

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